

HOUSE BILL 2465

By Durham

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 55,  
Chapter 10, Part 4, relative to alcohol and drug  
related offenses.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(a)(1)(A), is amended by adding the language “or other alternative confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program” after the language “workhouse” and before the language “not less than forty-eight (48)”.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(a)(2), is amended by adding the language “or other alternative confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program” after the language “workhouse” and before the language “not less than forty-five (45)”.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(a)(2), is further amended by adding the language “or a DUI education program” before the period (.) at the end of the subdivision.

SECTION 4. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(a)(3), is amended by adding the language “or other alternative confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program” after the language “workhouse” and before the language “not less than one hundred twenty (120)”.

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(f)(1), is amended by deleting the language “if space is not immediately available” and substituting instead the language “if space at the county jail or workhouse is over capacity at the time of conviction, the

court may allow an offender to commence service of the sentence at an alternative confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program or”.

SECTION 6. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(f)(1), is further amended by deleting the language “within ninety (90) days of conviction” and substituting instead the language “at the time of conviction”.

SECTION 7. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(f)(2), is amended by adding the language “or alternative overnight confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program” after the language “appropriate governmental entity” and before the language “that would be suitable”.

SECTION 8. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 55-10-402(h)(1), is amended by adding the language “or alternative confinement facility with a court approved DUI education program” before the period (.) at the end of the subdivision.

SECTION 9. This act shall take effect July 1, 2014, the public welfare requiring it.